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Galileo was denounced to
the Inquisition as a heretic.

He cleared himself of the charge, but
created such a sensation that
the church officially investigated
the Copernican theory early
in 1616

1615

India: Embassy of Sir T. Roe to
Jehangir

1615

Coffee was in use in Europe.

Feb 23, 1615

The three estates (of the States-General of France), presented their memorials,
to the King of France on Feb. 23, 1615 —
and the Assembly was dismissed

1615

Some of the Dutch furnished Le Maire enough money to buy two ships and in 1615 they sailed out of the Zuider Zee. (Le Maire stayed home) (He was getting old). Two of his sons went. One ship the HOORN - caught on fire & was completely burned.

With the other ship, they passed up the Strait of Magellan. They found

another strait (Le Maine Strait) and a
Cape called Cape HOORN (now shortened
to Horn).

They sailed westward and stopped
at the Fiji Islands; then went north
to the Marquesas.

The Dutch East India Co. caught
them. They sent home Schouten and
the Le Maine boys in disgrace. But
when they found the story of not going thru
Magellano's strait was true, they paid for
the ship & cargo

1615

The Dutch discovered Cape Horn.

1615

Expulsion of Jews
from Worms

1615

Shakespeare died

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(1553-1615) MARGARET of VALOIS

Queen of France.

Daughter of Henry II of France and
Catherine de' MEDICI and wife
of Henry III

31 JAN 1615
CAPE HORN
DISCOVERED

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(1561-1626) BACON, FRANCIS (Baron Verulam)

A celebrated English philosopher. He was the first of his time to make the method of induction, the object of investigation, and began the reform of existing sciences and the harmonizing of all knowledge. By his "ESSAYS, ADVANCEMENT of LEARNING" and "NOVUM ORGNUM", he directed the attention of learned men to the reform of school methods. He exerted a wonderful

influence on the scientific thought
and teaching of the European scholars
who succeeded him.